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K. C. HOPPER, Business Manager

Facts About the Draft

The drafting of men for the army of the United States is at our door, and considerable regular business is now being suspended by some to help the government.

Lest the notice will have escaped some registrants, a circular letter, a copy of which is here printed, is being sent to the plantation managers and employers to instruct their employees what to do.

To assist the selective draft which takes place on this island for a period of 20 days beginning Jan. 7, 1918, you are respectfully requested to notify all those in your employ who registered under the Selective Draft Act on July 31, 1917, to report to their precinct headquarters immediately after obtaining the Questionnaires which shall be mailed to them, for instructions how to fill the same. The chief register in each precinct shall regulate the proceedings.

You are further respectfully requested to notify all those who entered your employ since July 31, 1917, and who had registered under said Act on said day in another precinct, to write to the Postmasters at the place where they lived at the time they registered to mail their questionnaires to them. Having received same, they may report to the nearest precinct headquarters for advice.

Nothing short of personal notices could make those who are subject to the draft understand the import of the matter and, considering the time in which the draft must be completed, we are called upon to appeal to you and your lunas to help out in every way you could to bring our County to the fore in this matter.

Enclosed please find a list of the names of the Registered and Assistants of each precinct. This list will be increased.

Trusting that you will give this matter your immediate attention and thanking you in advance for any assistance that you will give.

I am,
Yours respectfully,
A. G. KALPICK,
Secretary Legal Board County of Kauai.

LITTLE STORIES OF A SLICE OF BREAD.

One slice of bread wasted in each American home every day amounts up in a year to the waste of 1,500,000 barrels of flour which took 7,000,000 bushels of wheat, grown on 470,000 acres of land, at the cost of \$21,500,000 a year.

CHANCE FOR STENOGRAPHERS AND TYPEWRITERS.

War has made necessary the employment of a vast army of stenographers and typewriters. In the making out of orders and reports, time becomes a very essential element. No one can afford to write much with a pen, these days. The demand for typists and shorthand writers is now so urgent that the government is advertising for help along that line. John W. Short, secretary of the Civil Service examiners, urges everyone within the age limits to take up these studies and apply for examination under the civil service rules. Those who make good are assured of steady employment at good wages. Women receive the same wages as men. In answering an inquiry, Secretary Short says: "Referring to your recent application for employment as a stenographer and typewriter, you are informed that the United States Government is in urgent need of thousands of typewriter operators and stenographers and typewriters to meet war demands. All who pass the examinations for the departments and offices at Washington, D. C., are practically assured of certification for appointment at salaries ranging from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year. Advancement of capable employees to higher salaries is reasonably rapid.

It is the manifest duty of citizens with the special knowledge to use it at this time where it will be of most value to the Government. Qualified persons are urged to enter examinations and accept Government employment, even at personal sacrifice. Women, who are not prepared to take up arms in defence of the country, may find in this office work an opportunity to help the Government. Persons who have not the required training are encouraged to undergo instructions at once.

Examinations for the Departmental Service at Washington, D. C., for both men and women, are held every Tuesday in 450 of the principal cities of the United States, and applications may be filed with the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., at any time. Those who fail to pass may be reexamined as many times as they wish until they attain an eligible rating.

OFFICIAL NOTICE.

The Secretary of State for the United States of America, has authorized, the undersigned to extend valid passports of the United States, when presented for extension, within thirty days from the date of their expiration. Passports may be extended for two periods of six months each.

Signed: LUCIUS E. PINKHAM,
Governor of Hawaii.

Advt.

LATEST WIRELESS NEWS

(Continued from page 1)

Telchask headquarters of the Kalidines announce that the Bolsheviks have succeeded in assuming power there. A decree has been published giving the right to soldiers and workmen to hold a new election, to replace the constituent assembly delegates, who are deemed not to represent the workmen. Peasant food shortage at Petrograd has been averted through an agreement with the Ukrainians, who will supply unlimited breadstuffs for half cash and half merchandise. Peasants' deputies have asked the removal of Nicholas to Petrograd. Kronstadt for trial before a military tribunal. Reports reach Copenhagen from Petrograd that leader Nakousky of Roumania is working there to stir up a revolution to depose Ferdinand of Roumania and establish a democracy.

New York: Railway Executives representing ninety percent of the mileage in the United States have decided to ask Congress to limit the period of Government control to period of war.

Washington: Chairman Oliver of the Naval Committee of the House states complete satisfaction of the ordnance inquiry. More than 1100 merchant vessels were equipped and get ammunition since March 14. Many Allied merchant vessels among those equipped. In addition the whole American fleet has been armed with submarines. Reorganization and expansion of the operating department of Shipping Board, is now under way. Offices will be established soon in London, Paris and Rome.

Chicago: Hundred thousand volunteer workers and many women in overalls or bloomers are shoveling snow. Railways moving far behind schedules. Most trains stalled under snow drifts have been extricated. Weather clear, temperature falling.

Washington: Meatless days suspended in California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, and Nevada because of lack of transportation. Porkless Tuesdays substituted.

Letters to Boy in France

Julian du Jour is a small boy in France, one of many, many thousands whom we do not know and in whom we have no special interest. But he anyway is of special interest to some of the children of Lihue, because they have adopted him as friend and brother and object of their childish charities.

He is ten years old, and probably never heard of Hawaii before, much less of Kauai. But from now on he is going to be well informed about these islands, and about Lihue in particular, as well as various other more or less heterogenous interests, for the children of the Lihue Sunday School have on a letter writing campaign that will give him sundry bits of information dear to the childish heart.

One small boy tells of his dog Kuma that was so cute and so smart, but he got run over by an automobile and went away and never came back. Another tells how we have a mountain house 800 feet high on the side of the mountain, and we go there sometimes, and stay two or three days and eat "rice and soy and baikon." Another tells about the Community Christmas tree and how everyone sang but there were no presents. Several volunteer more or less information about Nehemiah, just to give the correspondence a proper Sunday School flavor.

Julian will probably be surprised to learn that they know about Nehemiah in such a far-away, out of the world place as Kauai.

These letters are being translated by Mrs. Everett, and are to go forward every month; and every month some little gift is to go with the letters, from some one member or family represented in the school.

Julian is in luck, and we can imagine how much "set up" he will be over his good fortune, and how all his little neighbors about him will envy him. Here's to a happy New Year to him.

Forest Conservation

C. S. Judd, Superintendent of Forestry, in his last report gives an epitome of his recent work on Kauai. He traveled with Forest Ranger Hosea K. Lovell, over a large part of his district. He reports that the trees which Mr. Lovell planted on the Kamalomaloe flats on government land within the Kealia forest reserve are doing nicely. A fence along the Molokaa forest was found to be in need of repair, and the holder of the lease was promptly notified.

The boundaries of the proposed forest reserve on the makai land of Wailua, to include the Nonou ridge, where there yet remains a remnant of good native forest in need of protection, for water conservation purposes, were gone over, and found to include the land which it is desirable to set apart.

During December 800 silk oak and 500 swamp mahogany trees were set out on the Kealia reserve.

Two hundred and forty-four plants were distributed on Kauai, of which 62 were divided among three schools.

Mr. Slice of Bread

I am a Slice of Bread.
I measure three inches by two and a half, and my thickness is half an inch.
My weight is exactly an ounce.
I am wasted once a day by 48,000,000 of Britons.
I am "the bit left over"; the slice eaten absently when really I wasn't needed. I am the wasted crust.
If you collect me and my companions for a whole week you would find that we amounted to 3380 tons of good bread.

WASTED!
Two shiploads of good bread!
Almost as much — striking an average — as twenty German submarines could sink — even if they had good luck.

When you throw me away or waste me you are adding 20 submarines to the German navy.
FOR MEN.
Can you—
Give the anniversary of your wedding?
Tell the date of your wife's birthday?
Describe the dress your wife is wearing at this minute?
Give a recipe for a cake?
Tell the price of butter and eggs?
Sew a button on your suit in two minutes?

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Mangroves for Hawaii

The islands in the south seas and other tropical regions are fringed about with a dense growth of the Mangrove tree which grows somewhat after the manner of the Hau and therefore has very valuable qualities in retaining the soil, which otherwise might be washed away. In many places on these islands large quantities of the most fertile soil are washed down from the mountains in freshets, discharged into the ocean and swept away by the ocean currents.

Any means that would retain this valuable soil would be of great benefit to the islands. Such a means is the Mangrove, which, in most tropical insular regions has built up or retained large areas in this way.

It now seems that we have this tree growing successfully on the islands, and giving promise of great value here, as elsewhere. A writer in the Hawaiian Forester tells of its introduction years ago, and of the first tree which is now a fine spreading growth at Kalih, near Honolulu; and more recently of the planting of a grove in Molokai for the double purpose of retaining the soil and furnishing food for the honey bees of that island. This latter grove is doing well and the seeds therefrom are spreading through wide areas.

The Mangrove will grow where no other tree will—right down into the salt water—and by means of its elaborate root system will hang on as no other tree will.

In addition to its other beneficial qualities, the wood is valuable, hard, heavy, durable and capable of a fine polish.

BORN

KNOCK—In Kealia, Jan. 14, to Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Knock, a daughter.

MARRIED

Yoon Gong Duk, aged 33, of Kilauea, and Sarah Kahiwalani aged 18, of Kapaa, were married at that place on January 5th, 1918, by Rev. Robert Puuki, of the Congregational Church of Hale Kahu, at Anahola.

Edward Gardner, aged 42, of Hanalei, and Lei Panole, aged 24, were married at Hanalei on January 6, 1918, by Robert Puuki. Louis Morales, aged 20, of Elele, and Maria Rebeira, aged 16, of Koloa, were married on January 5th, 1918, by David Kamala Kapahee.

Frank Manuel Rapoza, aged 24, of Pakala, and Mary de Costa, aged 17, of Pakala, were married on January 5th, 1918 by Father Hermann Schradd, at Waimea. Geichi Kasapara, aged 29 of Waimea, and Taru Tsugura, aged 19, of Waimea, were married at Waimea on January 10, 1918, by David Kamala Kapahee.

Four young ladies who sat at table together in Lihue overheard a young man say that there were four times as many young women on Kauai as there were young men, and that the boys therefore stood about an even chance to get a good wife. But the young lady heard it, and remarked that while there were twenty-five young men to every one hundred girls, the girls had only one chance in a hundred of securing a good husband. The young man ate the remainder of his meal without making any remarks.

TENDERS—TEACHERS COTTAGE

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Kauai at Lihue, Kauai, will receive bids up to 10 o'clock A. M. of February 6th, 1918, for furnishing all materials and erecting a 34'x44' five room cottage on Kilauea School grounds at Kilauea.

Certified check to accompany bids, \$150.00; Bond \$800.00. Upon a deposit of \$500.00 the undersigned will loan a set of plans and specifications to any prospective bidder.

J. H. Moragne, County Road Supervisor.
Jan. 8, 15, 22, 29.

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Certified check to accompany bids, \$150.00; Bond \$300.00. Upon a deposit of \$500.00 the undersigned will loan a set of plans and specifications to any prospective bidder.

J. H. Moragne, County Road Supervisor.
Jan. 8, 15, 22, 29.

NOTICE

Any one found shooting on any of the Lihue Plantation Company's lands will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

F. WEBER, Manager,
PAUL R. ISENBERG, Lessee.
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NOTICE OF SALE OF GOVERNMENT LANDS.

At 12 o'clock, noon, Thursday, January 31st, 1918, at the office of the Sub Agent, Miss Bernice E. L. Hundley, Kapaa, Kauai, there will be sold at public auction, a general lease to the following described Government land:

Government remnant lying between the Kapaa Stream and Lots 63, 168, 169 and 170 of the Kapaa Homesteads, containing an area of 26.3 acres, more or less; upset rental, \$12. per annum, payable semi-annually in advance; term of lease, 15 years from January 31st, 1918.

The purchaser shall pay the cost of advertising.

For maps and further information apply at the office of the Sub Agent, Miss Bernice E. L. Hundley, Kapaa, Kauai, or at the office of the Commissioner of Public Lands, Capitol Building, Honolulu, T. H.

B. G. RIVENBURGH,
Commissioner of Public Lands.
Dated at Honolulu, December 26, 1917.

Jan. 1-15-22-29

NOTICE OF SALE OF LICENSE.

At 12 o'clock, noon, Thursday, January 31st, 1918, at the front door of the Capitol Building, Honolulu, T. H., there will be sold at public auction, the following:

A license for right-of-way for a railroad over certain Government land situated at Kapaa, Kawaihau, Kauai; term of license, 12 years, 4 months and 19 days from January 31st, 1918; upset rental, \$25. per annum, payable semi-annually in advance.

The purchaser shall pay the cost of advertising.

For maps and further information, apply at the office of the Commissioner of Public Lands, Capitol Building, Honolulu, T. H.

B. G. RIVENBURGH,
Commissioner of Public Lands.
Dated at Honolulu, December 26, 1917.

Jan. 1-15-22-29

In the Circuit Court, Fifth Circuit, Territory of Hawaii.

At Chambers—In Probate

In the matter of the Estate of Francis Anderson Lyman, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Administratrix of the Estate of Francis Anderson Lyman, deceased, to all persons having claims against said decedent or his estate to present the same duly authenticated, and with proper vouchers, if any exist, to the undersigned Administratrix, at her home in Makaweli, Kauai, whether such claims be secured or unsecured, within six months from January 8, 1918, (the date of the first publication of this notice) or they will be forever barred.

Dated this 8th day of January, A. D. 1918.

Mrs. Mamie A. Lyman,
Administratrix of the estate of Francis Anderson Lyman, deceased.
P. O. Address: Makaweli, Kauai.
Jan. 8, 15, 22, 29, 1918.

BY AUTHORITY.

NOTICE RELATING TO FILING ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

Under the requirements of and subject to the provisions of Chapter 139 of the Revised Laws of Hawaii, 1915, as amended by Act 98 of the Session Laws of 1917, notice is hereby given to all firms in copartnership in the Territory of Hawaii to file in the office of the Treasurer of the Territory, not later than March 1, 1918, a statement of copartnership for the year ending December 31, 1917, on blanks to be furnished by the Treasurer upon application.

The members of every copartnership who shall neglect or fail to comply with the provisions of law, shall severally and individually be liable for all debts and liabilities of such copartnership and may be severally sued therefor, without the necessity of joining the other members of the copartnership in any action or suit, and shall also severally be liable upon conviction to a penalty not exceeding five dollars for each and every day while such default shall continue.

Office of the Treasurer, Territory of Hawaii, Honolulu, December 28, 1917.

C. J. MC CARTHY,
Treasurer, Territory of Hawaii,
Jan. 7-8

NOTICE TO REGISTRANTS.

Notice is being issued to Registrants of the County of Kauai to fill out in proper form the Questionnaire which is forwarded to them accompanying the notice. This Questionnaire is to be filled out, signed and returned within seven days on penalty of punishment by one year's imprisonment and the loss of valuable rights.

These Questionnaires are being issued by installment, a hundred or so a day. Wait until your turn comes, then tend to the matter promptly.



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